

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 1 and 3 as follows:

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1. (Amended) A recording medium comprising [at least]:
a substrate having two surfaces;
an ink receiving layer containing an inorganic pigment; and
an outermost surface layer containing a thermoplastic latex resin, in this order,
wherein said ink receiving layer and said outermost surface layer [being] are provided on [each of] both surfaces of the substrate.

Claim 3,

Line 3, change "both" to --the two--.

REMARKS

Favorable consideration of the subject application is respectfully solicited.

